REMARKS

This Amendment After Final is in response to the final Office action mailed October 21, 2008.

The allowance of Claims 25-32 is noted with appreciation.

The final Office action includes a rejection of Claims 33-34 and 37 as allegedly being anticipated by Mantel et al. In order to expedite allowance of the application the Applicant hereby amends Claim 33 in a manner corresponding to the amendments made to Claim 25 in the previous response. In view of the Examiner's allowance of Claim 25, it is respectfully submitted that Claim 33 is allowable for the reasons previously advanced with respect to Claim 25. It is further submitted that the remaining claims are allowable at least by virtue of dependency. Previously-withdrawn claims 1-24 are now canceled.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, allowance of all claims 25-37 presented here above is solicited.

Should the Examiner wish to discuss the foregoing, or any matter of form or procedure in an effort to advance this application to allowance, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney at 312-474-6300.

In the event any additional fees are necessary, kindly charge the cost thereof to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855.

Respectfully submitted,

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